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Fallston Foundry.

ENGINE & REPAIR SHOP.

In Fallston Beaver County, Pa.

HAVING refitted and enlarged my shops and supplied them with machinery and tools, and having secured the services of the best of mechanics, I am prepared to warrant all work done to give entire satisfaction. I have on hand different patterns and styles of Engines, Fire clay Rolls, and am prepared to make or repair all descriptions of machinery, on reasonable terms.

Plows and Plow Castings.

I have all the best plow patterns that suit this market, among which is the "Great Western," which has been the plow of our county for the last fifteen years. There are five sizes of this plow, all of which I manufacture and keep for sale; also "Patent Lever" right and left—"Mountain King"—right and left—"Side Hill," and nearly all the different kinds in use.

Cooking, Franklin and Heating Stoves

Having made several important improvements on the "Climax," by which coal or wood can be supplied without lifting lids, and having two places for pipe, either or both of which can be used at the same time, with a ventilation to the oven, thus having the advantages of a Cooking Stove, Bake Oven and Franklin Stove combined. This stove has been in constant use for twenty years, and many of them after being used for this period of time, we now in good order. There is but a small portion of this stove that ever burns out, and this is easily and cheaply replaced. To make them still more lasting, we are now putting in tile or fire brick lining. Our other patterns are the Enterprise, Keystone and Premium. Parlor stoves, large and small heating stoves, Franklin stoves, Jenny Lind's, &c. Grate and Grate Fronts, Fenders, Iron Railing of various styles, Wagon Boxes, two Irons, Tire Benders, Corn Shellers, Force and Cistern Pumps, Sad Irons, Metal Sinks for kitchen, Sheet Iron and Tin ware, always on hand and made to order. In fact, I manufacture and keep for sale, almost everything wanted in the machinery or hardware line.

Second hand stoves always for sale cheap. Two good new engines, suitable for saw-mill or shop purposes now on hand, and will be sold reasonable.

mar13'67.—1y. JOHN THORNLEY.

R. A. Watson.....Harry Brown.

NEW STORE, NEW FIRM

&

New Groceries.

WILSON & BROWN

RESPECTFULLY announce to their numerous friends and the public generally, that they intend opening a New Grocery Store on

BRIDGE ST., BRIDGEWATER,

adjoining the Dry Good Store of A. C. Hurst, on the 9th day of March.

It is their intention of having on hand, at all times, a full assortment of the

BEST FAMILY GROCERIES!

and they beg leave to state that they are determined to compete with all other dealers in the town or neighborhood, as their Stock of Goods are all new, and bought at the late great reduction, and selected with the greatest care by Mr. Harvey Brown, whose knowledge of the business cannot be questioned, having been with Mr. Arthur Harvey for many years.

They call particular attention to their Stock of Teas & Coffee, as they flatter themselves they have something extra to offer as to price and quality.

The best brands of Family Flour always on hand. Produce taken at all times at full market prices. *All goods delivered.*

WILSON & BROWN.

Bridgewater, Feb. 27, '67—1y.

VALUABLE PROPERTY

FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers for sale at a reasonable price his present residence situate on First or River street, in the borough of Beaver, Beaver county, Pa. The lot is 60 by 200 feet; the house was built about two years since, is a frame, 40 by 32 feet, having 4 good rooms and hall on first floor, 5 rooms and hall on second floor, good cellar underneath. The house is a good one, and well finished; a good cistern and out-buildings. The lot is well planted in apple, peach and pear trees, strawberries and small fruit. The whole is in excellent order. This property is very desirably located on the bank of the Ohio, within three minutes walk of the Railroad station. For further information inquire of the undersigned, or of Hice & Rutan, Beaver, Pa.

mar6'67—4t ERVIN CRAIL.

SPRING FASHIONS

1867,

Bridge St., Bridgewater.

A NEW assortment of Millinery will be opened at my old stand, lately occupied by Mr. Healy, on THURSDAY, MARCH 14TH. I wish to inform my old friends, and as many new ones as will please patronize me, that I am now receiving an entire new stock of Millinery, of the latest Spring Styles, and will be pleased with an early call.

mar13'67.—1y. MRS. S. A. REES.

VALUABLE HOUSE

For Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale his house and lot situated in the town of Beaver, Pa. The house, a large brick, is located on lot No. 89, on the corner of Buffalo and Main streets, and contains 7 rooms and a store room, all in good repair and nearly new. Out-buildings and fruit on the lot. Inquire of the subscriber.

feb27,'67—3t. S. A. & J. H. PURVIS.

For Sale.

THE undersigned, offers for sale a valuable lot of ground on the river bank, just above the Lower Station, on the C. & P. Railroad. The lot contains something over three acres and is enclosed by a board fence.

feb13'67—3w OLIVER PURVIS.

RAILROADS.

PITTS. FT. W. & C. R. R.

On and after Dec. 23, 1866, Trains will leave Stations daily, Sundays excepted, as follows: (Train leaving Chicago at 3,35 P. M. leaves daily.)

GOING WEST.

	Exp's.	Exp's.	Exp's.	Exp's.
Pittsburg	245PM	700AM	220AM	130PM
Rochester	417 "	853 "	347 "	510 "
Salem	520 "	1047 "	552 "	612 "
Alliance	715 "	1150 "	655 "	615 "
Canton	805 "	1250PM	747 "	708 "
Massillon	826 "	115 "	808 "	723 "
Orrville	906 "	200 "	850 "	800 "
Wooster	938 "	235 "	925 "	835 "
Mansfield	1137 "	446 "	1112 "	1025 "
Crestline Ar	1215AM	530 "	1145 "	1100 "
Crestline De	1240 "	620 "	1220PM	700AM
Bucyrus	110 "	650 "	1248 "	733 "
U. Sandusky	151 "	730 "	125 "	823 "
Forest	223 "	801 "	154 "	857 "
Lima	355 "	918 "	305 "	1022 "
Van Wert	505 "	1021 "	405 "	1137 "
Fort Wayne	650 "	1150 "	540 "	120PM
Columbia	734 "	1235AM	628 "	208 "
Warsaw	825 "	130 "	711 "	301 "
Plymouth	925 "	235 "	807 "	405 "
Valparaiso	1059 "	415 "	935 "	548 "
Chicago	1250PM	620 "	1120 "	800 "

TRAINS GOING EAST.

	Exp's.	Exp's.	Exp's.	Exp's.
Chicago	335PM	440AM	1020PM	720AM
Valparaiso	521 "	633 "	1254AM	905 "
Plymouth	740 "	829 "	257 "	1085 "
Warsaw	817 "	940 "	320 "	1123 "
Columbia	904 "	1040 "	527 "	1219PM
Fort Wayne	1005 "	1145 "	700 "	125 "
Van Wert	1118 "	119PM	824 "	232 "
Lima	1217AM	219 "	935 "	335 "
Forest	125 "	356 "	1100 "	439 "
U Sandusky	151 "	421 "	1133 "	503 "
Bucyrus	225 "	522 "	1218PM	558 "
Ar Crestline	255 "	600 "	1250 "	605 "
De Crestline	315 "	615AM	130 "	625 "
Mansfield	343 "	650 "	200 "	657 "
Wooster	508 "	850 "	232 "	835 "
Orrville	530 "	920 "	357 "	906 "
Massillon	600 "	1000 "	430 "	942 "
Canton	616 "	1020 "	448 "	1002 "
Alliance	715 "	1125 "	545 "	1100 "
Salem	714 "	1207PM	620 "	1132PM
Rochester	921 "	225 "	823 "	125 "
Pittsburgh	1025 "	340 "	930 "	230 "

Erie and Pittsburg Express Train leaves New Castle at 4:05 p.m., arrives in Pittsburg at 6:45 p.m. Returning leaves Pittsburg at 6:00 a.m., arrives in New Castle at 8:50 a.m.

New Castle and Pittsburg Accommodation Train leaves New Castle at 7:00 a.m., arrives in Allegheny at 9:45 a.m. Returning leaves Allegheny at 3:30 p.m., arrives in New Castle at 6:20 p.m.

F. R. MYERS, Gen. Ticket Ag't.

CLEVE. & PITTS. RR.

On and after Dec 24, 1866, trains will leave stations daily, Sundays excepted, as follows.

GOING SOUTH.

	Mail.	Exp's	Mail.	Accom
Cleveland	820AM	235PM	.....	330PM
Euclid street	831 "	246 "	.....	341 "
Hudson	935 "	340 "	.....	500 "
Akron	.....	.....	.....	.....
Orrville	.....	.....	.....	.....
Millersburg	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ravenna	1010 "	415 "	.....	536 "
Alliance	1110 "	500 "	.....	630 "
Bayard	1144 "	539 "	.....	.....
Wellsville	123 PM	705 "	.....	.....

GOING NORTH.

	Mail.	Exp's.	Mail.	Accom
Wellsville	845AM	445PM	.....	.....
Bayard	1017 "	615 "	.....	.....
Alliance	1125 "	644 "	.....	700AM
Ravanna	1214PM	728 "	.....	749 "
Millersburg	.....	.....	.....	827 "
Orrville	.....	.....	.....	.....
Akron	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hudson	1246 "	803 "	.....	922 "
Euclid street	147 "	904 "	.....	932 "
Cleveland	200 "	915 "	.....	945 "

GOING EAST.

	Mail.	Exp's.	Exp's.	Accom
Belaire	130PM	610AM	1040AM	.....
Bridgeport	440 "	625 "	1050 "	.....
Lagrange	.....	.....	.....	.....
Steubenville	555 "	743 "	1158 "	.....
Wellsville	725 "	845 "	140PM	700AM
Smith's Ferry	747 "	907 "	202 "	735 "
Beaver	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rochester	830 "	950 "	240 "	835 "
Pittsburgh	910 "	1105 "	350 "	955 "

GOING WEST.

	Mail.	Exps.	Exp's.	Accom
Pittsburgh	615AM	210PM	435PM	350PM
Rochester	730 "	325 "	545 "	445 "
Beaver	.....	.....	.....	.....
Smith's Ferry	807 "	401 "	631 "	544 "
Wellsville	840 "	450 "	725 "	620 "
Steubenville	950 "	555 "	823 "	.....
Lagrange	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bridgeport	1112 "	707 "	927 "	.....
Bellaire	1125 "	720 "	940 "	.....

TUSCARAWAS BRANCH.

Leaves	Arrives
N. Philadelphia 6.50 a m	Bayard, 9.55 a m.
Bayard, 1200 m,	N. Philadel. 2.50 P.M

F. R. MYERS, General Ticket Agent.

INSURANCE AGENCY.

THE undersigned has been appointed agent for the Etna Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn., and likewise for the Niagara Insurance Company of New York, and the Enterprise Insurance Company of Philadelphia.

Each of these Companies insure dwellings, out-buildings, Stores, Manufactories, &c., &c. against loss by fire, on favorable terms, for five years or less.

Losses equitably adjusted and promptly paid when the insurance is effected. All business connected with either of these companies attended to with dispatch and fidelity.

JOS. M'CLURE, Agent.

aug22'66—1y. Beaver, Pa.

LAUGHING GAS!

ADMINISTERED BY DR. MURRAY, BRIDGEWATER, PA., in extracting teeth.

I have added to my many other facilities for the successful prosecution of my profession, this invaluable pain-killing agent. All branches of Dentistry performed in the best and most modern style. All work done as cheaply, and fifty per cent. better, than at any other Steam Dental Establishment in the State. [my9'66-1y

Miscellaneous.

STORY OF A UNION SCOUT.

Harper's Magazine for February contains an article entitled "Wild Bill." It describes some of the marvelous adventures of a real character named "Wild Bill," whose education as a frontiersman and mountaineer admirably qualified him to act, as he did through the war as a scout. The eventful career of this remarkable man, both before and during the war, is admirably sketched in this article by Colonel Nichols, who became personally acquainted with him in Missouri, and got the story from his own lips.

We give one of the most remarkable of Wild Bill's adventures, premising that he was in the full vigor of manhood, of great physical strength, which had been developed and trained by his mode of life, and that he was an unerring shot. The substantial facts of the affair were told the writer by an officer of the regular army, who, an hour after it occurred, saw Bill and his dead opponents. The story as told by Bill himself is as follows:

"It was in '61, when I guided a detachment of cavalry who were coming in from Camp Floyd. We were nearly reached the Kansas line and were in South Nebraska, when one afternoon I went out of camp to go to the cabin of an old friend of mine, a Mrs. Waltman. I took only one of my revolvers with me, for although the war had broke out, I didn't think necessary to carry both my pistols, and in all ordinary scrimmages, one is better than a dozen, if you shoot straight. I saw some wild turkeys on the road as I was going down, and popped one off in over, thinking he'd be just the thing for supper.

"Well, rode up to Mrs. Waltman's, jumped off my horse, and went into the cabin, which is, like most of the cabins on the prarer, with only one room, and that had two doors, one opening in front and t'other on a yard, like.

"How are you, Mrs. Waltman? I said, feeling as jolly as you please.

"The minute she saw me she turned as white as a sheet and screamed! 'Is that you, Bill? Oh, my God! they will kill you! Run! run! They will kill you!'

"'Who's a-goin to kill me?' said I. 'Ther's two can play at that game.'

"'It's M'Kandlas and his gang.—There's ten of them, and you've no chance. They's just gone down the road to the corn rack. They came up here only five minutes ago. M'Kandlas was dragging poor Parson Shipley on the ground with a lariat round his neck. The preacher was most dead with choaking and the horses stamping on him. M'Kandlas knows yer bringing in that party of Yankee cavalry, and he swears he'll cut yer heart out. Run, Bill run!—But it's too late; they're coming up the lane.'

"While she was a-talkin I remembered that I had but one revolver, and it had gone out of that. On the table there was a horn of powder and some little bars of lead. I potred some powdor into the empty chamber and rammed the load after it, by hammering the barrel on the table, and had just capped the pistol when I heard M'Kandlas shout:

"'There's that Yankee Wild Bill's horse; he's here, and we'll skin him alive!'

"If I had thought of running before, it was too late now, and the house was my best hold—a sort of fortress, like. I never thought I should leave that room alive."

The scout stopped in his story, rose from his seat, and strode back and forward in a state of great excitment.

"I tell you what it is, Kernel," he resumed after a while. "I don't mind a scrimmage with these fellers round here. Shoot one or two of them and the rest run away. But all of M'Kandlas' gang were reckless, bloodthirsty devils, who would fight as long as they had strength to pull a trigger. I have been in tight places, but that's one of the few times I said my prayers.

"Surround the house and give him no quarter!" said M'Kanlas. When I heard that I felt as quiet and cool as if I was a going to church. I looked around the room and saw a Hawkins rifle hanging over the bed.

"Is that rifle loaded?" said I to Mrs. Waltman.

"Yes," the poor thing whispered. She was so frightened she couldn't speak loud.

"Are you sure?" said I, as I jumped to the bed and caught it from its hooks. "Although my eye did not leave the door, yet I could see she nodded 'Yes,' again. I put the revolver on the bed, and just then M'Kandlas poked his nose inside the doorway, but jumped back when he saw me with the rifle in my hand."

"Come in here, you cowardly dog!" I shouted. 'Come in here and fight me!'

"M'Kandlas was no coward, if he was a bully. He jumped inside the room with his gun leveled to shoot; but he was not quick enough. My rifle ball went through his heart. He fell back outside the house, where he was found afterward holding tight to his rifle, which had fallen over his head.

"His disappearance was followed by a yell from his gang, and then there was a dead silence. I put down the rifle and took up my revolver, and I said to myself, 'Only six shots and nine men to kill. Save your powder, Bill, for the death-hug is coming.' That's how I will, Kernel continued Bill, looking at me inquiringly, but at that moment things seemed clear and sharp. I can't think strong.

"There were a few seconds of that awful stillness, and then the rushing came rushing in at both doors. How wild they looked, with their red drunken faces, and inflamed eyes, shouting and cursing. But I never aimed more deliberately in my life.

"One—two—three—four, and four men fell dead.

"That didn't stop the rest. Two of them fired their blue guns at me. And then I felt a sting run all over me. The room was full of smoke. Two got in close to me, their eyes glaring out of the clouds. One I knocked down with my fist. 'You are out of the way for a while,' I thought. The second I shot dead. The other three clutched me and crowded me on to the bed. I fought hard. I broke with my hand one man's arm. He had his fingers round my throat. Before I could get to my feet I was struck across the breast with the stock of a rifle, and I felt the blood rushing out of my nose and mouth. Then I got ugly, and I remember that I got hold of a knife, and then it was all cloudy, like, and I was wild, and struck savage blows, following the villians up from one side to the other of the room, and into the corners, striking and slashing until I knew that every one was dead.

"All of a sudden it seemed as if my heart was on fire. I was bleeding everywhere. I rushed out to the well and drank from the bucket, and then tumbled down in a faint."

Breathless with the intense interest with which I had followed this strange story, all the more thrilling and weird when its hero, seeming to live over again the bloody events of that day, gave way to its terrible spirit with wild, savage gestures, I saw then what my scrutiny of the morning had failed to discover—the tiger which lay concealed beneath the gentle exterior.

"You must have been hurt almost to death," I said.

"There were eleven buck shot in me. I carry some of them now. I was cut in thirteen places—all of them bad enough to have let the life out of a man. But that blessed old Dr. Mills pulled me safe through it after a bad siege of many a long week.

"That prayer of yourn, Bill, may have been more potent for your safety than you think. You should be thankful to God for your deliverance."

"To tell you truth, Kurnel," responded the scout, with a certain solemnity in his grave face, "I don't talk about such things to the people round here, but I always feel sort of thankful when I get out of a bad scrape.

Going to Farming.

The following note is like so many others which have reached us that we feel justified in treating its topic as of quite general interest:

To the Editor of The Tribune.

SIR: Your editorials have from time to time, drawn my attention to farming. What should a man of 24, of good habits, single, with a natural taste for country and farm life, with a cash capital of $25,000, do in that regard? Does not market and fruit-gardening on Long Island offer better inducements than the West?—What do you consider the figures? How much should he invest in land? and how should he use the balance? He has no experience in the business, is now a bookkeeper, living on his pay, but with no prospects. He believes that many will be interested in your reply. T.

Answer.—A man who has $25,000 is too well off to need any advice from us. We may say generally that any man or woman of average sense who is worth that amount can buy a good farm of 100 to 200 acres almost anywhere for $15,000, stock it amply, buy the needed tools and seed's, hire a good farmer as foreman, and go to work, with a moral certainty of doing well from the outset, and better and better year by year thereafter. He must be a very poor stick who can't make his way anywhere with a start of $25,000.

But there is a very large class now hanging on in cities and villages who could sell out so as to take from $2,000 to $5,000 each into the country.—What can a young or middle-aged man do at farming on such a capital?

Let us suppose a man to have $2,500 and a family of four to six persons: where shall he choose a rural home and what shall he do on it?

The proper answer depends on his taste and prepossessions. If these tend to gardening and fruit-growing, he should settle within a day's ride of this or some other great city, and very near a port or landing whence a steamer runs daily to and from our markets. A location on or near a railroad will do; but water transportation is decidedly preferable. Long Island, New-Jersey (especially its southern half), Delaware, Maryland, and even Lower Virgina, afford excellent locations. There is very fair wooded, or worn-out land to be bought for $25 per acre or less; but land that sells for $200 per acre is often decidedly cheaper. And, whatever your capital may be, don't bury more than half of it in the earth. Better break on five acres, plow it deeply, fertilize it bountifully, and cultivate it thoroughly, than to run in debt for farm land that you are unable to make as rich as need be. Don't be afraid that the land will all be gone if you do not secure it at once; money will always buy land, and will buy most land for less than its actual cost. Unless you have much money, buy no more land than you intend to put to immediate use; unless it be a patch of woodland for timber and fuel.

Your inexperience will of course be a drawback. You will be able to effect more by eight hours' work per day in your third year of farming than by twelve hours per day in your first year. Yet your freedom from self-conceit and presumption will half atone for ignorance. You have not half so much to unlearn as a life-long farmer who fancies that nobody can farm better than his grandfather did. You will read the proceeding of the Farmers' Club and an Agricultural weekly or monthly with eager interest, will follow their suggestions, and sometimes be misled by them; but, in the average, they will benefit you, and you will profit by every blunder you make. By the fourth year, you will be able to criticise and discriminate; so that your teachers may make blunders without inducing you to follow them.

Your chief danger is impatience. If you, or your wife would not get disgusted with farming the first year, it is quite unlikely that you ever will. Begin with a distinct understanding that you will not make money at first—that you will almost certainly be poorer at the close of your first year's farming than when you began it.—Your land will be in poor condition; you will have to do two days' work for futurity to every one that tells directly on the production of this year's crop. You will suffer by drouth and flood, heat and frost, hail and insects; and will be led to conclude that farming is a hard business, and its rewards very meager and uncertain.—But all these are passing clouds, to dispel which you have but to persevere.

Resolve to grow what you need and to consume your own products so far as may be. We don't object to giving a bushel of good potatoes or a barrel of turnips for a pound of middling tea; but half a dozen such exchanges per annum are decidedly preferable to a hundred.

Be sure to average at least five days per week on your own home stead.—There are farmers who do not mean to be shiftless, and who can do a fair day's work when they set about it, yet who have so much "business" that takes them off this way and that, that they do not average three square days work per week. Those farmers are heading straight toward the poor-house. Can you wonder that they deem farming a beggarly pursuit?

Don't fear that you will overstock the market. This City, like most American cities, ought to consume treble the fruit she does, and would if it were reasonable cheap. Good Grapes can be grown at the cost of Wheat—say five cents per pound—yet they retail here at fifteen to thirty cents per pound. At ten cents, the consumption would probably double annually for the next four years at least. Peaches of late sell here at most exorbitant prices. Berries save when most plentiful, cost far more than they should. One hundred thousand acres well set in fruit this year would not begin to glut the markets of our great Atlantic cities. Bear in mind that each child over seven years old can help you if you grow fruit.

For $1,000, you can buy a habitable cottage and five to twenty acres of warm, mellow, tractable soil. A team and cow will cost you $500 more; leaving you a balance for implements, seeds, provisions, &c. And, if you practice frugality and live largely on your own products, that will just do.

If you prefer to raise grain and grow stock you will naturally go West, where land is cheap and grass abundant. You may there buy 160 acres of land for $1,000 or less in many civilized localities, and will be apt to do it, though it is more than you really need. But we may take another opportunity to speak of farming in the West, where success is not more decided, but where failure is more difficult, than in older communities. Meantime, let us sum up our convictions in a few sentences:

I. Land is cheaper at present in this county, than anything else, and cheaper, all things considered, here than elsewhere. It is very cheap at the West, but cheap around this City and in every old State, even in densely peopled Massachusetts. To one who knows how to improve and till it, nothing else is so cheap among us as arable soil.

II. Every one who has any available means should own land. Though it be but a garden-patch, he will be a better husband, better father, better citizen, for owning land. He who owns an acre never need pass an idle day, nor go cringing and begging for employment. If no one wants to pay him for his labor, he may profitably employ it on his own land. True, land unused, is rarely a profitable investment; yet nothing else is so solid, so tangible, and so certain to increase steadily in value, as land. And no other man of moderate means can be so truly independent as he who cultivates his own homestead.

III. If every man in business, who can spare $1,000 up to $10,000, would employ that amount in buying and—a-humoring it, if possible, and let it be deeded directly to his wife, he would signally lessen the probability of his dying in the alms-house and being buried at the expense of the town. Few men will deem this worth consideration; we do.

The Tenure of Office Act.

As there is much interest felt in the recent act of Congress, which was passed over the veto of the President, entitled "An act regulating the tenure of certain civil offices," and not a little misunderstanding of its exact provisions, we republish it as obtained officially from the records of the State Department:

AN ACT REGULATING THE TENURE OF CERTAIN CIVIL OFFICES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That every person holding any civil office to which he has been appointed by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and every person who shall hereafter be appointed to any such office, and shall become duly qualified to act therein, is and shall be entitled to hold such office until a successor shall have been in like manner appointed and duly qualified, except as herein otherwise provided, provided that the Secretaries of State, of the Treasury, of War, of the Navy, and of the Interior, the Postmaster General, and the Attorney General shall hold their offices respectively for and during the term of the President by whom they may have been appointed and for one month thereafter, subject to removal by and with the advice and consent of the Senate.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That when any officer appointed as aforesaid, excepting judges of the United States courts, shall, during a recess of the Senate, be shown by evidence satisfactory to the President, or for any misconduct in office, or crime, or for any reason shall become incapable or legally disqualified to perform its duties, in such case, and in no other, the President may suspend such officer and designate some suitable person to perform temporarily the duty of such office until the next meeting of the Senate, and until the case shall be acted upon by the Senate, and such person so designated shall take the oaths and give the bonds required by law to be taken and given by the person duly appointed to fill such office; and in such cases it shall be the duty of the President, within twenty days after the first day of such next meeting of the Senate, to report to the Senate such suspension, with the evidence and reasons for his action in the case and the name of the person so designated to perform the duties of such office. And if the Senate shall concur in such suspension and advise and consent to the removal of such officer, they shall so certify to the President, who may thereupon remove such officer, and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint another person to such office. But if the Senate shall refuse to concur in such suspension, such officer so suspended shall forthwith resume the functions of his office, and the powers of the person so performing its duties in his stead shall cease, and the official salary and emoluments of such officer shall, during such suspension, belong to the person so performing the duties thereof, and not to the officer so suspended; provided however, that the President, in case he shall become satisfied that such suspension was made on insufficient grounds, shall be authorized, at any time before reporting such suspension to the Senate as above provided, to revoke such suspension and reinstate such officer in the performance of the duties of his office.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted that the President shall have power to fill all vacancies which may happen during the recess of the Senate, by reason of death or resignation, by granting commissions which shall expire at the end of their next session thereafter. And if no appointment, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall be made to such office so vacant or temporarily filled as aforesaid during such next session of the Senate, such office shall remain in abeyance, without any salary, fees, or emoluments attached thereto, until the same shall be filled by appointment thereto, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate; and during such time all the powers and duties belonging to such office shall be exercised by such other officer as may by law exercise such powers and duties in case of a vacancy in such office.

SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That nothing in this act contained shall be construed to extend the term of any office the duration of which is limited by law.

SEC. 5. And be it further enacted, That if any person shall, contrary to the provisions of this act, accept any appointment to or employment in any office, or shall hold or exercise or attempt to hold or exercise any such office or employment, he shall be deemed, and is hereby declared to be, guilty of a high misdemeanor, and upon trial and conviction thereof, he shall be punished therefor by a fine not exceeding ten thousand dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding ten years, or both said punishments, in the discretion of the court. And be it further enacted, That every removal, appointment, or employment, made, had, or exercised in contrary to the provisions of this act, and the making, signing, sealing, countersigning, or issuing of any commission or letter of authority for or in respect to any such appointment or employment, shall be deemed, and are hereby declared to be, high misdemeanors, and upon trial and conviction thereof, every person guilty thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding ten thousand dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding five years, or both said punishment, in the discretion of the court, provided that the President shall have power to make out and deliver, after the adjournment of the Senate, commissions for all officers whose appointment shall have been advised and consented to by the Senate.

SEC. 7. And be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Senate, at the close of each session thereof, to deliver to the Secretary of the Treasury, and to each of his assistants, and to each of the auditors, and to each of the comptrollers in the Treasury, and to the Treasury, and to the Register of the Treasury, a full and complete list, duly certified, of all the persons who shall have been nominated to and rejected by the Senate during such session, and a like list of all the offices to which nominations shall have been made and not confirmed and filled at such session.

SEC 8. And be it further enacted, That whenever the President shall, without the advice and consent of the Senate, designate, authorize, or employ any person to perform the duties of any office, he shall forthwith notify the Secretary of the Treasury thereof, and it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury thereupon to communicate such notice to all the proper accounting and disbursing officers of his department.

SEC. 9. And be it further enacted, That no money shall be paid or received from the treasury, or paid or received from or retained out of any public money or funds of the United States, whether in the treasury or not, to or by or for the benefit of any person appointed to or authorized to act in or holding or exercising the duties or functions of any office contrary to the provisions of this act; nor shall any claim, account, voucher, order, certificate, warrant, or other instrument providing for or relating to such payment, receipt, or retention, be presented, passed, allowed, approved, certified, or paid by any officer of the United States, or by any person exercising the functions or performing the duties of any office or place of trust under the United States for or in respect to such office, or the exercising or performing the functions or duties thereof, and every person who shall violate any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a high misdemeanor, and, upon trial and conviction thereof, shall be punished therefor by a fine not exceeding ten thousand dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding ten years, or both said punishments, in the discretion of the court.

SCHUYLER COLFAX.
Speaker of the House of Rep.
LA FAYETTE S. FOSTER,
President of the Senate pro. tem.

Josh Billings' Essa onto Swine.

Hogs generally are quadriped.

The extra length ov their antiquity haz never been fully discovered; they existed a long time before the flood, and hov existed a long time since.

There iz a great deal of internal revenew in a hog; there ain't much more waste in them than there is in an oyster.

Even their tails can be worked up into whissels.

Hogs are good quiet borders. They alwuz eat what is set before them, and dont ask any foolish questions.

They never hev enny disease but the measles, and they hev that but once; once seems to satisfy them.

There is a great meney breeds amongst them.

Sum are a close corporation breed, and sum are bilt more apart, like a hemlock slab.

They used to hav a breed in New England, a few years ago, which they called the *striped hog* breed; this was in high repute among the landlords; almost every tavern keeper had one, which he used tew show tow travelers and brag on him.

Sum are full in the face, like a town clock, sum are az long and lean as a cow-catcher with a steal nose on 'em.

They can awl rute well; a hog that can't rute well, has been made in vain.

They are a short lived animal and generally die az soon az they git fat.

The hog can be larnt a grate meny cunning things, such az histing the front gate off the hinges, tipping over the swill barrels, and finding a hole in the fence tew git into a cornfield; but that ain't eney lenght to their memory; it iz awful hard work for them to find the same hole tew git out at, espeshaly if yu are at all anxious they should.

Hogs are very contrary, and seldom drive well the same way yu are going they drive most the other way, this haz never bin fully explained, but speaks volumes for the hog.

At Burlington, Iowa, recently, three brothers named Huenke were married to three sisters named Fieldman.

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THE BEAVER ARGUS.

J. WEYAND,
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

March 20th, 1867.

The Local and Senator Taylor's Vote.

The *Local* is in trouble in point of fact. Figuratively speaking it is *hors de combat*. Its editor was wishing, and possibly praying, (if he ever does such a thing at all,) while the Free Railroad bill was pending in the Senate that Senator Taylor would vote *against* it. In that event his paper would have "groaned" with phrases like this: "Senator Taylor votes against a Free Railroad law," "The Pennsylvania Railroad buys him up," 'His Constituents' betrayed," "The people indignant" &c., &c. But as Senator Taylor voted as all practical, sensible men would have done themselves or desired their representatives to do, the editor of that paper has been deprived of the use of these startling headlines, and is said to have been visibly "down in the mouth" ever since. To keep up appearances, however, he last week made a feeble attack on Senator Taylor for voting for the bill, when every person hereabouts knows that if he had voted against it, just the sensational headings that we have quoted above would have appeared in the *Local*, and "we told you so" would have been seen in every article of that paper for a month to come. Disappointed, aint you?

The Connellsville Bill.

The Connellsville Railroad bill came up in the House on Thursday last, and was defeated by the following vote:

AYES—39

Barrington D, North'n,	Jones, D, Berks,
Boyd, D, York	Kimmell, R, Indiana,
Boyle, D, Fayette,	Leech, R, Mercer,
Brannan, D, Luzerne,	Linton, D, Cambria,
Chadwick, R, Allegheny	McCreery, R, Erie
Chalfant, R, Columbia	Mcxee, R, Allegheny,
Chase, R, Crawford,	Marsh, D, York,
Collins, D, Schuylkill,	Mann, R, Pott er,
Colville, R, Allegeny,	Mechling R, Armstrong
Espy, R, Washington,	Meyers, D, Northp'n,
Deise, D, McKeine,	Peter, R, Allegheny,
Espy, R, Crawford,	Pillow, R, Butler,
Ewing, R, Washinton,	Rhoads, D, Berks,
Gallaher, R, Indiana,	Richards, R, Somerset
Gorden, R, Indiana,	Tharp, D, Northum'd,
Harbison, R, Lawrence	Weller, R, Somerset,
Harner, D, Berks,	Wham, R, Venango;
Heltzell, D, Adams,	Wilson, R, Allegheny,
Hunt, D, Clearfield,	Glass, R, Speaker, Allegheny.
Jenks, D, Clarion,	

NAYS—50.

Adair, R, Philadelphia	Long, D, Cumberland,
Allen, R, Venango,	McHenry, D, Luzerne,
Barton, R, Delaware,	Markley, D Montgom'y
Breen, D, Skuylkill,	Marks, S, Philadel'a,
Brown, R, Juniata,	Mullen, D, Philadel'a,
Calvin, D, Bucks,	Quigley, D, Philadel'a;
Cameron, R, Susquch'a	Roath, R, Lancaster,
Davis, R, Philadelphia	Robinson, D, Skuylkill
DeHaven, R, Philad'a,	Roush, D, Union,
Donahough, R, Phila,	Satterthwait, D Mont'y
Fogel, D, Lehigh,	Seiler, R, Dauphin,
Freeborn, R, Phila,	Sharpless, R, Chester,
Ghegan, R, Philadel'a,	Shuman, R, Franklin,
Gregory, D, Philadel'a	Stehman, R, Lancaster
Hood, D, Philadelphia,	Stumbaugh R, Franklin
Humphry, R, Fulton,	Subera, R Philadelphia
Josephs, D, Philadel'a	Waddell, R, Chester,
Kennedy, R, Susquch'a	Westbrook, D, Wayne,
Kerns, R, Philadelphia	Wharton, R, Miffin,
Kinney, R, Bradford,	Wingard, R, Lycoming
Kline, D, Lehigh,	Woodward, R, Erie,
Koon, D, Luzerne,	Worrall, R, Philadel'a
Kuntz, D, Centre,	Wright, R, Lycoming,
Lee, R, Philadelphia,	

Col. Quay of this county—in favor of the bill—paired with Hoffman of Dauphin—opposed—and Phelan of Greene county—in favor of the bill—paired with Armstrong of Lancaster opposed.

Defeated in the Senate before, and now in the House, kills it this session, without a doubt. We are sorry that this is so.

New Hampshire Election.

The election on Tuesday last in New Hampshire resulted in a thorough Republican triumph. Gen. Harriman is chosen Governor by about three thousand majority over John G. Sinclair, Democrat. Three Republican Congressmen are elected by majorities avering 1,000 each. We have nine State Senators out of twelve, four out of five Councilors, and seventy-five majority in the lower branch of the Legislature.

This is the first election held since the passage of the Reconstruction law by Congress over the President's veto, and shows that the people of the Granite State, have an abiding faith in Congress and its Reconstruction policy, and none in President Johnson, and no sympathy with his ill-concealed rebel opinions.

Cowan's Rejection.

Cowan's name as Minister to Austria was again before the Senate last week, and as was expected, his rejection followed. The vote on his confirmation shows him to have had quite a number of personal friends in the Senate, but a large majority of the members of that body, believed that a person who had acted the part he did throughout the rebellion, and who entertains the views he now does, should not represent this Government at a foreign Court. This was sensible.

Gov. Swann of Maryland, having resigned what little claim he had on the United States Senatorship of that State some two weeks ago, ex-Gov. Thomas was on Monday last chosen to fill the vacancy. The latter is an Andy Johnson" Democrat.

The "Sober Second Thought."

A week or ten days ago, several of our cotemporaries, among them our neighbor, the *Local*, went off at "half cock," on the vote in the Senate on the Free Railroad bill. They denounced every Senator that voted for the act, and would not for a moment entertain the idea, that quite a number of these same Senators had done their utmost in the committee of the whole to have the bill properly amended, and failing in this, finally voted for it as the best that could be obtained this session. This, they averred was all "gammon," but now the "sober second thought" together with additional light on the subject, has shown them the injustice of their remarks, and with one accord they all, excepting the *Local*, take back their offensive insinuations, and admit that the free railroad principle has no better friends than quite a number of Senators who were the recipients of their abuse—The following extract taken from a long article in the Harrisburg *Telegraph* on this subject, evidently gave the Senate vote a phase which these papers never saw it have before, and which no doubt brought about the retractions and apologies subsequently made by them. The *Telegraph* of the 11th says:

Senator Bigham, of Allegheny, one of the most cautious and candid men in the Senate, prepared the free railroad bill at the instance of the Railroad Committee. After it had been read in place, it was referred to the Railroad Committee by Speaker Hall, the Senate instructing the Committee to report the bill at a certain date. At the proper time the bill was reported with certain amendments attached.—Senators Billingtelt, Brown, of Mercer, Coleman, Cowles, Davis, Taylor, Wallace, White and Speaker Hall, voted, in committee of the whole, against all the amendments incorporated in the bill by the Railroad Committees.—*The same Senators afterwards in the Senate, on calls of the yeas and nays, recorded similar votes.* The record shows all these facts. A majority of the Senate preferred the bill as it came from the Railroad Committee, and the amendments inserted by that Committee were adopted in the Senate.—We are bound to respect the majesty as well as the integrity of that major ity. All the interests at stake were fairly considered at the time. The debate elicited was one of the ablest ever had in the Senate. It is, therefore, too late now either to slur those who voted for the bill on its final passage, or to threaten any man for his vote during the legislative stages of the bill, because every candid man who watched those proceedings is convinced that they were honorably and fairly conducted.

Senator Bigham, whose vote is recorded against the bill, on its final passage, clearly and emphatically stated, prior to voting, that, although the bill was not perfect, HE DESIRED IT TO PASS. Senator Bigham never drops inconsiderate words in the Senate.—He drew this bill. Notwithstanding its amendments it yet contained all the important features he had created therein. *Senator Bigham withheld his vote (although his name is first on the roll) until the yeas and nays had been called,* STATING THAT IF IT WAS NECESSARY TO PASS THIS BILL, HE WOULD VOTE FOR IT RATHER THAN HAVE IT DEFEATED.

The Pittsburgh *Commercial*, after bitterly denouncing the Senators referred to by the *Telegraph* for having voted for the bill on its final passage, takes back its reflections on their integrity and acknowleges them to be the real friends of a general railroad law, in this State; and the *Gazette* in the same spirit makes use of these remarks:

That we may do no injustice, we here state that the bill was originally prepared by Mr. Bigham; that the alterations which made it offensive were fastened on it by the Railroad Committee; that in Committee of the Whole all these alterations were voted against by Billingfelt, Brown of Mercer. Cowles, Davis, Bigham, Graham, Lowry, Taylor, Wallace, White and Hall.—Afterwards, in the Senate, the same Senators remained true. So far therefore, as our remarks tended to disparage either of those gentlemen they are withdrawn.

Thus while one after another of the newspapers who attacked these Senators, recall their offensive language, the poor, spiteful, little *Local* will hardly venture upon doing so of its own accord, and no person is sufficiently interested in its opinions or attacks to ask it to.

District Commanders.

Dispatches from Washington last week were to the effect that the President had appointed Generals Sherman, Scofield, Meade, Hancock, McDowell to command the five Districts created by the Congressionall Reconstruction Bill. The official order, announcing these appointments changes the commanders, and Gen. Grant, after reciting the act of Congress for the more efficient government of the Rebel States, conclude as follows:

In pursuance of this act the President directs the following assignment to be made:

First district, State of Virginia, to be commanded by Brevet Major-Gen. J. M. Schofield headquarters at Richmond, Va.

Second district, consisting of North Carolina and South Carolina, to be commanded by Major-Gen. D. E Sickles, headquarters at Columbia, S. C.

Third District, consisting of the State of Georgia, Florida, and Alabama, to be commanded by Major-Gen. G. H. Thomas, headquarters at Montgomery, Ala.

Fourth District, consisting of the States of Mississippi and Arkansas, to be commanded by Brevet Major-Gen. E. O. C. Ord, headquarters at Vicksburgh, Miss.

Fifth District, Consisting of the States of Louisiana and Texas, to be commanded by Major-Gen. P. H. Sheridan, headquarters at New-Orleans, La.

The power of Department commanders are hereby delegated to the above named District Commanders.

By command of Gen. Grant.
E. D. TOWNSEND, A. A. G.

THE *Local* of last week says that Quay voted for the Free Railroad law. We have no means of knowing what Mr. Quay's views on the subject are; but we do know that he has not indicated them by his vote, for the bill has not yet been touched in the House of which he is a member.—Another evidence of the *Local's* reliability on matters of legislation.

Sound Views.

At the recent session of the Pittsburgh Conference of the M. E. Church, at Massillon, Ohio, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

The state of the country is at the present time peculiar and anomalous. The war for the preservation of the government and the Union has closed, but the conflict has not terminated; it has only been transferred from the field to the forum; from the camp to the council. Ideas, not armies, are the forces which now confront each other, and the *real issue* is whether treason shall recover what it lost in the field or whether the sublime truths expressed in the Declaration of independence shall have a distinct and emphatic recognition and application in the reconstruction of the government and its future administration. Your committee, therefor, offer for adoption the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1st. That we hereby and emphatically endorse the action of the thirty-ninth Congress on the question of reconstrucion, and approve the measures adopted for the final settlement of that question.

Resolved, 2d, That, believing christianity to be the basis and bulwark of civil liberty, we hail with joy as among the auspicious signs of the times the congressional temperance and prayer meetings.

Resolved, 3d, That as "righteousness exalteth a nation, but sin is a reproach to any people," we will not cease to pray for our rulers, and will give our influence and suffrage to elevate to offices of profit and trust men of unbending moral integrity.

Correspondence.

The following letter should have appeared last week, but came too late for insertion.

MASSILLON, OHIO, Mar. 11th, 1867.

Editor Argus: As we are enjoying the hospitality of one of the enterprising merchants of this city, together with that of his accomplished lady, we are minded to give our readers a few jottings of our impression of the place as also some items in relation to the M. E. Conference now holding in the city its forty third annual session. Massillon as many of your readers know, is located on the line of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago rail road, twenty five miles west of Alliance, and eight miles from Canton. Like most cities and towns we have visited in Ohio, it has very broad streets, and ample grounds inclosed with nearly all its dwellings, which are ornamented with luxuriant evergreens, many of them having attained a large growth. The present population of the city is estimated at about six thousand. The people are intelligent, industrious, and hospital. The latter quality appearing to great advantage, and making a most favorable impression on the members of the Conference. There are several manufacturing establishments in the city, we mention that of Brown, Seibeling & Co., for the manufacture of the "Excelsior Reaper & Mowers" and employing over three hundred men. There are several large rooms well stocked with dry goods, and doing a thriving business. There are also several groceries, and prominent among them one large wholesale house owned by Mr H. K. Dickey. This gentleman furnishes everything in his line, fresh from New York, to the grocers here, and in the county sourrounding, on the most reasonable terms. This strickes us as a good arrangement, and one that might be safely imitated in some other places we know of.

The Conference is making an excellent impression on the community here, by the dignified bearing, eminent talents, and social manner of its members. Bishop Thompson, the presiding officer, has long been distinguished as a man of sound and varied learning, and more recently as one of the best business men in the Episcopal board. His Sermon on Sabbath morning will not soon be forgotten by those who were privileged to hear it. The Conference is also honored with the presence of the venerable Bishop Moiris, whose godly life and sound administration have justly entitled him to the affection, and gratitude of the whole church. Dr. J. P. Durbin, corresponding Secretary of the missionary society was present during a part of the session, and preached in the Episcopal Church on Sabbath morning a sermon of great power. His name is a household word, and a tower of strength, throughout the Christian world. The various Committees ordered by the Conference have made their reports, most of which are gratifying, and show decided progress. The Centenary contributions, will alone amount to about half a million. The preachers are anxiously waiting to hear their appointment read by the Bishop, when they will immediately adjourn, and hasten to their homes, to prepare for another year of labor and toil.—May it be as the past, only more abundant.

Truly Yours,
B.

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Mar. 18, 1867.

THE NEW MARYLAND SENATOR.

A three hours debate took place in the Senate to-day on the question of admitting the new Senator from Maryland to his seat. A motion was made to refer his credentials to the Judiciary Committee, which will prevail to-morrow. The objection to his being received as Senator, was based on the statement that he resigned as Secretary of the Treasury from Buchanan's Cabinet, on the ground that it had decided to reinforce Fort Sumter, and collect the duties on ship board at the port of Charleston. Senator Howard, who made the motion of reference, claims that Thomas resigned as Secretary for the same reason that Cobb and Tompson gave. Mr. Thomas was present in the Senate during the discussion, and seemed very much exercised. It is by no means probable that he will get his seat this session.

THE TREASURY INVESTIGATION.

The House placed so little confidence to day in the stories that government bonds have been issued in duplicate from the Treasury that it refused to order a special committee, but concurred with the Senate in authorizing the joint Committee on Retrenchment to make any needed investigation. It appeared, however, in debate that the duplication of numbers of sixteen thousand dollars worth of coupons did not duplicate the coupons, and that the error was made by the American Bank Note Company, and not by the Printing Bureau of the Treasury.

THE NATIONAL BANKING LAW.

Mr. Randall, of Pennsylvania, introduced in the House to-day, a bill to so amend the National Banking law as to substitute legal tender notes for National Bank notes It is the same thing that was pending in last Congress, and has no probability of its being acted upon until next winter.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

For Rent!

THE undersigned offer for rent their brick dwelling house, known as the "Hugh Anderson house" on third street, Beaver, Pa. The house contains eight rooms, all in good condition. Water at the door, and plenty of ground for gardening use. Terms moderate.
mar20'67. W. & W. H. JOHNSTON.

SEA ISLAND SHELLS!

PERSONS wishing to adorn *garden walks, and mantels, or Pleasure resorts* with, would do well to apply at Lukens' Wharfboat, Rochester, where a splendid lot of washed *SEA ISLAND SHELLS* has just been received, and are for sale.
mar20'67. W. H LUKENS.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of SAMUEL MILLER, late of South Beaver township, Beaver county, dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent will make known the same without delay, to
J. H. VEON, Executor,
mar20'67.—6t. Enon Valley.

Public Sale.

THERE will be exposed to public sale, on TUESDAY, APRIL 16TH, 1867, on the premises of Jesse M'Gaffick, in Brighton tp., Beaver county Pa., the following property, to wit: 1 Engine, Oil Tools, Lumber, Blacksmith Tools, and all the machinery belonging to the Six Mile Oil Company. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock of said day.
JESSE M'GAFFICK,
THOS. WILSON,
JAS. RUSSELL.
mar20'67—3t.

Public Sale.

THE subscriber will sell at public sale, on his premises, near Remington Station, on the P. F. W. & C. R. R., on THURSDAY, MARCH 28TH, 1867, his

DAIRY STOCK,

consisting of 40 head of Cows, 1 Durham Bull, &c., &c.

Sale to commence at 10 A. M. Terms made known at that time.
mar20'67—2t. W. C. DUNN.

Public Sale.

THE subscriber will offer at public sale, on FRIDAY, MARCH 29TH, 1867, at his Livery Stable, in Beaver, Pa.,

TWELVE OR FIFTEEN HEAD OF GOOD HORSES.

Sale to commence at 10 A. M., when due attendance and a reasonable credit will be given by
THOS. M'KINLEY.
mar20'67—2t

ELECTION.

THE Stockholders of "the Company, for erecting a Bridge over Big Beaver Creek, at or near Wolf Lane, in the County of Beaver," are hereby notified that an Election for one President, six Managers and a Treasurer, will be held in the Toll House of said Company, on the last Monday, 29th of April next, commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M.
JAMES ALLISON.
mar20'67. Treasurer.

School Directors In Account With Chippewa Tp., on Local Bounty. (First Fiscal Year.)

Dr		Cr	
To cash rec'd on bonds issued	$3,600 00	By cash pd on b'ds and in bank	$1,147 90
To cash rec'd on note in N. B. Beaver co	21,00 00	For Revenue stm's	2,50
		Bad mo'y in Treas.	50
Real Indebt'd's	5,700 00	Treas'r per cent,	5,74
Duplicate '64,	2,450 26	Lost tax on Dup,	2,90 06
	8,150 26	Exhonerated,	38 91
Credits	1,523 39	Sold'rs exempt,	71 08
Bal. Due	$6,628 87		$1,523 39

We the undersigned Auditors of Chippewa Township, believe the above to be just and true, to the best of our knowledge and ability
DAVID FERGUSON,
JOHN R. HERRON, } Auditor's.
DAVID DUNLAP,
mar20'67.—3t.

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Prime "Old Gov. Java" Coffee,	42 cts per lb
" "Laguayra" "	3 lbs for $1,00
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" Brown "	7 lbs for $1,00
"Loverings" crushed,	6½ lbs for $1,00
" best Syrup, per gal	$1,15
Prime P. R. Molasses "	90 cts
Carolina Rice, per lb	14 cts
New No. 1 Shore Mackerel per lb	14 cts
" " 2 " " " "	14 cts
"Malaga" Lair Raisins " "	31 cts
Fine fresh Figs, small drums each,	25 cts
Fine Imperial Tea, per lb	$1,80
" Oolong " " "	$1,50

mar20'67. WM. F. CLARKE.

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT AUCTION.

ON Monday, the 25th day of March, 1867, the undersigned will sell at Auction, all his property situate in Beaver county, Pa., to wit:

One two story Brick house, divided into two dwellings, situate near Lock No. 1, on the Canal, in New Brighton.

Two Frame Houses, out buildings and one acre of land, more or less, attached, situated at the mouth of Beadle's Run, well fixed for a place of public entertainment. Good well of water on premises.

One Frame House, with two lots attached, containing one acre, more or less where I now reside. Good well of water on the premises.

Also, a Coal Lease, running for twenty-eight years from March 22, 1867, with privilege of renewal of the lease on the same terms.

Sale to commence at Henry Greenwood's stand in Fallston borough, at 10 o'clock A. M. on said day.

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JOHN B. WILLIAMS having removed his shop from Bridgewater to Beaver, wishes to inform his former customers and the public generally, that he is now to be found in a ROOM ADJOINING THE NATIONAL HOTEL, where he will carry on his business in good and fashionable style. By close attention to business, he hopes to merit and receive a liberal share of public patronage. Those wishing a clean, smooth shave, or hair cut, in a fashionable style, just stop in and give John a trial, and he feels satisfied that he can please them.

Fine Cigars!

CONCHITA'S, $1,50 per box, (Three years old.)

FIGARO'S, $4,00 per box, (Genuine Imported,) seven years old.

CABANA'S, (Genuine Imported,) $1,25 per box, (25 in a box.)

DEAN'S "YARA," $7 per box.

FINE SMOKING TOBACCO in large or small quantities, at
WM. F. CLARKE,
24 door above Post Office,
Beaver, Pa.

SPRING FASHIONS

1867,

Bridge St., Bridgewater.

NEW assortment of Millinery will be opened at my old stand, lately occupied by Mr. Gealy, on THURSDAY, MARCH 14TH. I wish to inform my old friends, and as many new ones as will please patronize me, that I am now receiving an entire new stock of Millinery, of the latest Spring Styles, and will be pleased with an early call.
mar13'67.—1y. MRS. S. A. REES.

Grand Opening!

FOR THE

Fall Trade

OF 1866,

AT

F. A. Fortune's

CHEAP

DRY GOODS STORE

IN THE

DIAMOND, ROCHESTER.

Our prices will astonish all who favor us with a call.

Goods of every description sold Cheaper than ever.

Brown Muslins at	10 cts
Bleached do	12 1-2
Good Prints,	12 1-2 a 15.

Pants Stuffs,
Tickings,
Checks,
Ginghams,
Prints,
Canton Flannels,
Red & Yellow Flannels,
Barred & Striped do
Balmoral Skirts,
Hoop do
Boots and Shoes,
Hats and Caps,
Trimmings,
Ribbons,
Millinery Goods,
Etc., etc., etc.

—The prices of the above Goods we warrant less than the same class of Goods can be bought for west of the mountains.

Dress Goods in endless variety,
French Merinos,
Coburgs,
Delaines,
Poplins,
Plaids,
Cashmeres,
Etc., etc., etc.,
Cheaper than ever!

Blankets and Blanket Shawls,

At great bargains.

Remember the place:

FORTUNE'S CHEAP STORE

IN THE DIAMOND,

ROCHESTER, PA.

Come everybody, and see for yourselves before purchasing.

NO TROUBLE to SHOW GOODS.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY

PROPOSALS

Pennsylvania Agricultural Land Scrip

FOR SALE.

THE Board of Commissioners now offer for sale 520,000 acres of Agricultural College Land Scrip, being the balance of the Scrip granted to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the endowment of Agricultural Colleges in this State.

Proposals for the purchase of this Land Scrip, addressed to "The Board of Commissioners of Agricultural Land Scrip," will be received at the Surveyor General's office, at Harrisburg, until 12 o'clock, M., on Wednesday, April 10, 1867.

This land may be located in any State or Territory, by the holders of the Scrip, upon any of the unappropriated lands (except mineral lands) of the United States, which may be subject to sale at private entry. Each piece of scrip represents a quarter section of one hundred and sixty acres, is issued in blank and will be transferable, without endorsement or formal assignment. The blank need not be filled until the scrip is presented for location and entry, when the party holding it can fill the blank and enter the land in his own name. Bids must be made as per acre, and no bids will be received for less than one quarter section.

The Scrip will be issued immediately on the payment of the money to the Surveyor General. On all bids for a less quantity than 30,000 acres, one-third of the purchase money must be paid within ten days, and the remaining two-thirds within thirty days after notification of the acceptance of the bid or bids by the Board of Commissioners.

JACOB M. CAMPBELL,
mar6,'67—6t. Surveyor General
For the Board of Commissioners.

CHAS. A. DICKEY.....R. A. WILSON.

NOW IS THE TIME FOR

Bargains!

GRAND CLOSING OUT

OF

Boots and Shoes

IN BEAVER!

WILSON & DICKEY WOULD RESPECTfully inform the public in general of their intention to close out their extensive stock of Fall and Winter Boots and Shoes, to prepare for a Spring Stock, consisting of

Ladies', Gent's, Boy's and Children's Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c.,

which will be sold at cost, or below cost, as we are bound to keep up the trade, and that to the entire satisfaction of our customers.—*All goods warranted.*

DICKEY & WILSON,
3 Doors East
of H. B. Anderson's Store,
Beaver, Pa.
jan9,67.

Great Bargain!

100 Acres of Land for Sale.

SAID land is situated in Chippewa township, Beaver county, Pa., is but 6½ miles from New Brighton, and has on it a two story hewed log house, shingled roof, and contains four rooms. There are also peach and apple trees on the premises. Sixty or seventy acres of the land are cleared. Any one wanting a farm at a bargain, would do well to call and examine for themselves; or if desired, I will sell my whole farm consisting of two hundred acres of land—a good stock and fruit farm. 1000 bushels of apples were grown on this farm the past season. Peaches, pears and cherries in abundance on it.

For further information apply to
DAVID THOMAS,
on the Premises, or
refer to WM. KENNEDY.
mar6'67.—3t. New Brighton.

LOOK HERE!

NO NECESSITY FOR GOING OUTSIDE OF BEAVER TO GET GOOD GROCERIES!

THE undersigned having purchased the Grocery Store of Anderson & Son, (formerly occupied by Joseph C. Wilson,) take pleasure in informing the Public that he is about refitting the store and replenishing the stock, and in the future will keep

All Kinds of Groceries,

which he will sell at the Lowest Prices possible. None but the best articles in the market kept.

It is the desire of the undersigned to please all who may favor him with their patronage.
Dec. 26, '66:3m HENRY FEICHT.

House and Lot FOR SALE.

THE undersigned designing to relinquish house-keeping, offers for sale his comfortable and convenient two story brick house, situated on Third st. The house contains six rooms, newly papered and painted; lot 25½ feet front by 300 back, shade trees in front and water at the door. Would prefer to sell furnished. Furniture has only been in use since April 1, 1866. Possession given at once if desired.

at the store of Thos. M'Creery,
WM. S. MARKS.
mar6,'67—3t. Beaver, Pa.

TO THE LADIES!

THE undersigned take pleasure in informing the Ladies of Beaver Falls, New Brighton and vicinity, that they will open, on the 1st of April, 1867, a large and well assorted stock of new MILLINERY, TRIMMING and FANCY GOODS, which they will offer to the public at prices lower than the lowest.

Their room will be on the corner of Fast and Mound streets, (in the building soon to be occupied as a grocery store, by Mr. Ramer,) in Beaver Falls, Beaver co., Pa.

Mrs. E. J. RAMER.
mar6,'67—3mos. Mrs. S. J. HOKE.

Laughing Gas!!

COME all ye that have been suffering the untold miseries of toothache, and dread of extraction, and you will find that Dr. Chandler & Co. are ready to relieve you by the use of the great pain destroyer—*LAUGHING GAS*—and make their extraction a source of pleasure, rather than of pain.

All dental operations performed in the best possible manner, and at as reasonable terms as by any good Dentist in the county.

Office in Beaver Station, Rochester, Pa.
ja30'67—1y. T. J. CHANDLER & CO.

THE BEAVER ARGUS.

March 20th, 1867.

LOCAL and MISCELLANEOUS.

☞ Wm. Bingham, Jr., 54 Fifth st., Pittsburg, is the authorised agent for the Argus in that city.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The attention of the public is directed to the following new advertisements which appear for the first time in the *Argus* to-day:

☞ For Rent—W. & W. H. Johnson.
☞ New Barber Shop—John B. Williams.
☞ Administrator's Notice—J. H. Veon.
☞ Valuable Property—Daniel Evans.
☞ Election—Jas. Allison.
☞ Steam Ship Co.—Wm. W. Wilson & co.
☞ Furniture &c.—T. B. Young & Co.
☞ Chippewa Tp.—Auditors.
☞ New Prices—Wm. F. Clarke.
☞ Sale of Horses—Thos. McKinley.
☞ Sale of Dairy Stock—Wm. C. Dunn.
☞ Sea Shells—W. H. Lukens
☞ Public Sale by McGaffick & others.
☞ Fine Cigars—Wm. F. Clarke.

M. E. Conference.—The next meeting of the Pittsburgh Conference of the M. E. Church will be held at Greensburg, Pa., in March, 1868.

Painful Accident.—Capt. Wm. McCallister well known here, was among the sufferers by the collision on the Pan Handle Railroad on Friday last. We learn incidently that one of his feet is badly smashed, but hopes are entertained that amputation will not be necessary.

☞ Wilson & Stewart's is the place to get cheap Boots and Shoes.

Justices of the Peace.—Newly elected Justices of the Peace will bear in mind that unless they file written acceptances with the Prothonotary within thirty days from the election, no commissions will be issued. J. P's, should therefore be on the alert, if they are desirous of having "Esq.," appended to their names.

Opening of Schools.—We are desired to say by Rev. Taylor, that the Spring Term of the Seminary, and of the male Academy, will open April 2, and that no labor will be spared to advance the interest of pupils committed to their care.

Something for the Ladies.—Just received from New York and Paris, new and elegant sets of Ladies' and Childrens' Trimmed Patterns for spring and summer dress. At the store of J. H. Bence, 3d street, Beaver. *Patterns for sale.*

Court.—The present term of Court is quite a strong one. A great many people are in attendence. The Court decided on Monday morning to commence with the criminal business, and we believe none but criminal cases have yet been tried up to our going to press. A condensed statement of proceedings will appear next week.

☞ For Best Groceries go to the New Store, *2nd door above the Post Office, Beaver, Pa.*—*Nothing but a strictly* prime article is offered. Pure spices of all kinds from C. J. Fell and Brother's celebrated Spice Mills, Philadelphia. Also, indigo blue, in boxes, for washing.

Wm. F. Clarke.

Rejected.—O. S. Long, formerly of the *Star* of this place, now of the Wheeling *Register*, and a few months ago appointed Postmaster at Wheeling, Va., has, it seems, been rejected by the Senate. We infer this from the fact, that on the 14th inst., the President sent to the Senate the name of N. J. Rawling's for the position referred to, in that city.—What Mr. Rawling's political opinions are, we are not advised.

☞ Best N. O. Molasses, at Wilson & Brown's New Grocery, Bridgewater, Pa.

Installed.—James B. Ruple, Esq., the newly appointed Assessor for this District, has been sworn in, and has entered upon the discharge of his official duties. His office for the present will be in the same room with Mr. Aiken, Insurance Agent, adjoining Harding's store.—*Wash. Reporter.*

Serious Accident.—On Wednesday last while Mr. Samuel Ramsey, of this place was engaged in hauling gravel, an embankment fell down and catching one of his legs, broke it between the ankle and knee. Dr. Faight of this place was called in, and dressed the broken limb. Mr. Ramsey though suffering much pain is getting along as well as his medical attendant could desire.

Our Public Schools.—We are requested to state by the county Superintendent of public schools, that the State Superintendent's Report for 1866, copies of the School law and District Registers, will be at the Clerks office in Beaver, during the present week and where school Directors and others entitled to receive them, will please call.

John Morrissey.—Many of John Morrissey's friends declared some time ago that he would quit gambling the moment he took his seat in Congress, yet the correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial* says of him:

"On a recent occasion he is understood to have given his word and honor that if he didn't skin every Congressman—Radical and Democrat—out of their salaries, and make them go begging for their hotel bills next Congress, the boys might move the previous question on him when he came back."

Serious Accident.—On Thursday last Mr. Samuel A. M'Cabe, of Rochester met with a serious accident. The circumstances as we learn them were as follows: Mr. M'Cabe was in a one horse wagon, and near the Rochester station when a train came up. The horse took fright at the locomotive, and in running away, came in collision with a two horse wagon, throwing Mr. M. out on the frozen ground, and dislocating his left wrist, besides cutting and bruising him considerable about the head and face. The fall rendered him insensible for an hour or so, but at last accounts he was getting along as well as his medical attendant could desire.

Mr. Wallace, of the firm of Schad, Wallace & Co., of Bridgewater, or alighting from the cars on Tuesday last, fell, and had his left shoulder dislocated. Both cases are under the surgical care of Dr. John C. Levis, and are recovering.

Cane Seed.—As cane seed for Sorghum purposes, will soon be wanted by our agricultural friends, we are requested to state that the best variety of seed can be obtained of Blymer, Norton & Co., Cincinati Ohio, or of Blymer, Day & Co., Mansfield Ohio, at the following rates: Regular Sorgho, by mail 40 cts per pound; by express, 45 lbs or less 25 cts per pound, over 25 lbs 15 cts per lb. or by applying to the agent, A. B. Wolf Esq., of this place, cane seed of any kind sold by the above named firms, can be had.

The World Mutual Insurance Company.—Mr. J. F. Freauff of Hollidaysburgh Pa. is the general agent of the above named company for Pennsylvania. The plans of insurance are established upon the settled axioms of Life Insurance Companies, and are those which will endure perpetually; dividends will increase annually after two years, with the age of the policy, liberal arrangements made in regard to travel, and two-thirds of the amount of premium loaned to the policy holder when desired.—Mutual premiums as low as a majority of Life Companies in the United States. Nonparticipation rates lower than those of any company in the world. All policies non-forfeitable.—With these prominent advantages held out as inducements to the insured, we bespeak for the World Mutual a success most flattering.

☞ Cheap Boots and Shoes, at Wilson & Dickey's, Beaver, Pa.

☞ Attention is called to the advertisement of Messrs. T. B. Young & Co., 38 & 40 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh, in to-days paper. Messrs. Young & Co., have an excellent assortment of all kinds of Furniture of their own manufacture and warranted, which they will dispose of at low prices. Call and *see them.*

☞ Boots and Shoes at less than cost, at Wilson & Dickey's, Beaver, Pa.

Horse Exhibition.—The horse exhibition announced last week did not draw as large a crowd as we anticipated, owing to the storm which prevailed here on that day. The day was too inclement for either man or beast to be out. Notwithstanding this, Mr. Dudley, came out with one of his horses, run him up and down the street without bridle or reins, made him perform various "pieces," and all with the voice or motion of the whip.

—To-day, we learn that Mr. Dudley, will again appear on our streets, and if the weather is more favorable, we doubt not but that the exhibition will be interesting and prolonged. Were we engaged in handling horses, we should avail ourselves of this opportunity of learning how to manage them.

Important to Township Auditors.—An act of considerable importance exists in this State, and which we surmise has been but imperfectly enforced, in this county at least. It requires the Bounty accounts of every district in the State to be carefully audited by the township auditors, and whose duty it is to "prepare a condensed statement of the condition of these finances, and publish the same at the cost of the district for three successive weeks in two papers." In referring to this act the Washington (Pa.) *Reporter* says: "It not only requires this duty to be performed by the Township Auditors, but it imposes a penalty of fifty dollars upon each Auditor who refuses to comply, one-half of which fine goes to the prosecutor, and the other half to the school fund of the district. It provides, also, that the Auditors shall notify the School Directors or other parties having the disbursement of the bounty funds, to appear before them at such a time as the Auditors shall fix, for the purpose of enabling the Auditors to close up the bounty accounts of the township for the fiscal year."

The law referred to here may be found on page 779 pamphlet laws of 1866. Chippewa township, it will be seen complies with the statute in this respect, in this week's *Argus*.

The Great Republic.—Pittsburgh, for the last week or two has been considerably excited over the Great Republic, a new steamboat built at that place. The Republic is claimed to be the largest boat ever built in this part of the country, and we have no reason to doubt the statement. She was built by Capt. Wm. B. Donaldson, who is her principal owner.—Her demensions are: Length on deck 330 feet; width of beam 57 feet; depth of hold 10 feet; extreme width 95 feet. The boat draws but 4½ feet water, and has capacity for 2,500 tons of freight. She left Pittsburgh on Sunday last, bound for the western waters, touched Rochester at about 10 A. M., and passed down the river to Wheeling, which place she reached between five and six in the evening. Her cost is estimated at $300,000.

Infanticide.—On Sunday last the appearance of things about an out-house in Rochester, led to the belief that foul play of some kind had taken place within it. A closer search being made a dead male child was found in one of the privy vaults, and suspicion festening on a young girl named Anne Hults doing housework for a family near by, she was arrested, and after some time confessed to being the mother of the child, and also that she had given birth to it the night before near to where it was found. On Sunday afternoon she was brought to jail, where she now is.—From what we can learn, she is a stranger in this vicinity, and only about 20 years of age. She comes hither from Portsmouth Ohio, and it is surmised that her seducer is a resident of that town. She is said to be an artless, unsophisticated girl, and is no doubt the victim of some scamp who should now be where she is. Persons who have seen her since she is in jail, represent her as almost heart-broken, and bitterly bewailing her terrible condition.

"Whiskey Frauds."—Anthony Villinger of this place was detected on Saturday last and his goods seized for violating the revenue laws of the *Government*. The facts as we learn them are as follows: About the 1st of March Villinger, provided himself with a small brass "still," and unknown to the Government agents, or to the "common world," commenced grinding out "tangle-leg" at a steady if not rapid rate. His fixtures were on his own premises. The Revenue officers somehow, not necessary to mention, got an inkling of what Villinger was at, and accordingly made a descent on his establishment, found him fully equiped for doing a thriving business, closed the concern up, and on Monday removed his traps beyond his reach. He had taken out no license to engage in the distilling business, and the penalty for this omission is $1000. Villinger has evidently got himself into a bad scrape, and the cost of his experiment will largely exceed his profits.—But a small quantity of the "ardent" was found upon his premises.

From Ohio Township.

We had the pleasure of attending the closing exercises of School no. 4, Ohio township, on the evening of the 29th ult.

To say that we were pleased with the performances would not express what we felt; but the taste and order exhibited in the preliminary arrangements, and promptness with which those who took part in the exercises responded to the parts assigned them, so far exceeded our expectations, that we doubtless express the sentiments of those who could see and hear, when we say we were surprised and highly delighted.

The tasteful decorations of the stage, the appropriate costume worn by the younglaies in their varied performances, the practical tenor and high moral tone of their compositions, the neat appearance and thorough training of the little girls, as showed in their concert recitations, the manliness of the "we're men" boys, as they faced the crowd and recited their pieces, the appropriate action and tone of the larger boys, exhibiting a just appreciation of the parts they were performing, all showed a determination that the motto WE'LL, which decorated the front of the stage, should be no vain boast.

The manner in which all performers acquitted themselves, without even the semblance of a failure, reflects great credit upon the tact and energy of their instructor, Mr. T. J. Reisinger—who by the way possesses the elements of a first class teacher.

That the untiring industry and zeal of Mr Reisenger for the improvement of his pupils during the term that has just closed, were not unappreciated by them, was evinced at the close of the exercises in the presentation by a circle of half dozen little girls, in a neat address, spoken in concert, of a wreath of flowers entwined with evergreens; and the presentation by one of the young gentleman, in behalf of the school, of a neatly bound Bible, which were acknowledged by their teacher in a beautiful and appropriate response, delivered in tones tremulous with emotion at these evidences of their appreciation of his labors for their advancement.

The only drawback to the enjoyment of the evening by all who attended for proper motives, was the smallness of the house, in which only a portion of the large audience could be seated so as to witness the performances. The noise and confusion kept up by those who could not hear or see prevented others, who were more fortunate, from enjoying the exercises.

The performances were interspersed at intervals by sweet music discoursed from violin and bass viol, by some young gentlemen from Brighton township, who kindly volunteered their services for the occasion.

We would here venture a suggestion to the Directors in all country districts, that they should provide a large hall near the centre of the township for holding the closing exercises of all the schools of the district, or make arrangements with the trustees of some Church building, eligibly situated for this purpose, and visit the schools to know that there would be nothing in the exercises incompatible with the place

Spectator.

☞ Boots and Shoes at less than cost, at Wilson & Stewart's.

Editor Beaver Argus: The editor of the *Local* in reply to my article on the license question asserts that he is a friend to temperance, and that those who advocate a prohibitory law are its enemies. If Mr. Odell is sincere in this, and does not oppose the law because Mr. Quay is his political enemy, or because some of his friends are engaged in the business, I hope he will, instead of abuse, give us a candid, unprejudiced statement of the reasoning by which he arrives at this conclusion. Our land is filled with crime and misery through the influence of intemperance; and the best plan for checking its ravages should, of course, be adopted; consequently, the more light we can have on the subject, the better. I am not capable of doing the subject justice, yet I still hold to my original opinion, that if the prohibitory law lately passed for Beaver county is rightly enforced it will be a great helping to the county. It is true there may be some men who have acquired a love for strong drink who may not be benefited by it. The confirmed drunkard will move heaven and earth but he will have the means of satisfying his beastly and unnatural appetite; but it will undoubtedly remove a great temptation out of the way of those who have not yet acquired this appetite. It is among the young men of our country that our licensed whisky shops are working their greatest mischief. How many bright hopes have been destroyed; how many happy firesides rendered desolate, through the influence of these sinks of iniquity, only the worse than deserted wives and children of the tens of thousands of poor miserable drunkards that disgrace our land can tell. Far better would it be for them if the rum-seller would take up the pistol or the dagger of the murderer, and deprive his victim of life at a blow, instead of selling him, under the guise of a harmless stimulent a slow, but dangerous poison, that will in the end destroy him body and soul, nor would it be a greater sin. The same Bible that says, "Thou shalt not kill," says "Woe unto him that giveth his neighbor strong drink, that puttest thy bottle to him, and makest him drunken also;" and it would also be as creditable for the government to grant a license for his destruction one way as another.

A Democrat.

☞ Best No. 1 Winter Wheat Family Flour, *cheaper* for same quality than any other place in the county or city, at Wilson & Brown's new Grocery, Bridgewater, Pa.

Editor Argus.—In the communication in reference to Rochester in your last week's paper it should be that the products of the various branches named was not made, if any, short of one million dollars, and not applied to the Pittsburgh Cutlery establishment alone.

Very Respectfully,
T. J. Chandlee.

☞ Best roll Butter always on hand at Wilson & Brown's new Grocery, Bridgewater, Pa.

MARRIED:

On Tuesday, March 5th, in Georgetown Church, Georgetown, by Rt. Rev. Bishop Kerfoot, Rev. Wm. Audrey to Miss Parthenia, daughter of Mr. James Lake, both of Beaver Co., Pa.

At the residence of the bride's father, on March 12th, 1867, by Rev. G. Huston, Mr. Louis Werber to Miss Salina L. Covert, both of Butler Co. Pa.

A Request has been sent us from Harrisburg, to publish the following:

Regulations for Pardons.

First.—No Pardon will be granted until notice of the application therefore shall have been given by publication once a week, for two consecutive weeks, in a newspaper printed in the county in which the solicitation was had.

Second.—No Pardon will be granted unless notice of the application shall have been given to the Judge who tried the cause, to the District Attorney or to the Attorney who prosecuted. Proof of which notice shall be furnished this Department.

Third.—All applications for Pardon must have with them the following papers, written in a clear and distinct hand:

1. A certified copy of the whole record, including docket entries, minutes of Court, copy of indictment, pleas, and all other papers on file in the Court relating to the case.

2. A full statement of the reasons upon which the application is based, setting forth all the facts; the notes of trial; letters from responsible persons in the community where the crime was committed; a recommendation from the Jurors who sat on the trial, and if any of them refuse to recommend a pardon, reasons given for such refusal; letters from the District Attorney or Counsel who tried the case; and a letter from the Judge setting forth his views upon the subject of the application.

Fourth.—Recommendation for Pardons for unexpired terms of sentence must have a copy of the whole record, as before required. Also copy of commitment; petition from prisoner setting forth reasons; and statement from Warden and Inspectors of Prison.

Fifth.—No personal applicants will be permitted.

Sixth.—All of the above papers, when submitted, must be accompanied by a printed copy of same in pamphlet form, twelve copies of which, at least, must be sent to this Department. If the parties are too poor the Paper Book need not be printed.

Seventh.—As these rules are intended to subserve the administration of justice they will be strictly enforced, and relaxed only when good reasons shall be furnished for so doing.

JNO. W. GEARY.

Executive Chamber.
Harrisburg, January 31, 1867.

Agricultural.

The Fourteenth Annual Meeting of the Beaver County Agricultural Society, was held at Beaver, on Monday, Mar. 18th, 1867.

Wm. Shroads, President, in the Chair.

Jos. C. Wilson, Esq., Treasurer, presented his account; which after an examination by Auditor's appointed, was on motion approved and adopted. On motion

Resolved, That hereafter the salary of the Treasurer shall be $50 per year.

An election of Officers for the coming year was held, which resulted as follows:

President—Hugh Anderson.
Vice Presidents—M. Darragh, I. R. M'Donald, H. Goehring.
Rec. Sec—J. B. Harrah.
Cor. Sec—Jos. Lellis.
Treasurer—Jos. C. Wilson.

MANAGERS.

East Side—P. W. Williams, J. J. Hazen, John L. Wolf, John Baxter, James Warnock.
West Side—Andrew Carothers, John Slentz, Esq., B. R. Wray, Sam'l. Gibson, Wm. A. Laird.
South Side—Robert Potter, John K. Foltz, Geo. W. Shroads, Just. Gr. Bleakley, Jos. A. Fleming.

On motion adjourned.

WM. SHROADES, *Pres't.*
WM. S. BARCLAY, *Tre'y.*

The Officers and Managers elected for the coming year, will meet at the Court House, on Saturday, April 13th, 1867, for the purpose of organizing. A full attendance is requested.

The Election.—The Election in this place, on Friday last, passed off very quietly. The Republicans, as was expected, elected their whole township ticket, and their Borough ticket by majorities of nearly three to one.—The officers elected are as follows:

TOWNSHIP.

Justices of Peace—Socrates Johnston and S. H. Darragh.
Judge of Election—K. Tallon.
Inspectors—J. R. Harrah and D. M. Donehoo.
School Directors—Township—Thos. M'Kinley and J. R. Harrah.
Independent District—H. Stowe and P. Heberling.
Supervisor—Samuel Ramsey.
Assessor—John R. Niblo.
Assistant Assessor—John Sickman.
Constable—Chas. A. Griffin.
Auditor—S. A. Dickey.
Township Clerk—Eb. Allison.

BOROUGH.

Burgess—Joseph C. Wilson.
Assistant—T. O. Anshutz.
Town Council—R. T. Taylor, John Caughey, D. M'Kinney, Wm. Johnston, and M. R. Harton.
High Constable—Chas. A. Griffin.
Assessor—C. A. Griffin.
Assistant Assessors—W. Hall and R. F. Welsh.
Judge of Election—J. T. Boyd.
Inspector—Joseph Hall, Sr.
Auditor—E. F. Thomas.

BEAVER MARKETS.

CORRECTED BY WM. ORR.

Flour per bbl		$14 00
Dried Apples per bus		2 00
do Peaches	"	8 00
Wheat	"	2 00
Corn	"	75
Oats	"	45
Flax Seed	"	2 25
Beans,	"	2 00
Potatoes,	"	80
Onions,	"	1 50
Corn Meal,	"	90
Eggs,	per doz	20
Butter,	per lb	43
Hams,	"	12
Shoulders,	"	10
Sides,	"	11
Tallow,	"	12½
Lard,	"	12
Candles,	"	20
Molasses,	per gal	1 00
Carbon oil,	"	70

PHILLIPSBURGH PROPERTY FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers for sale his House and Lot, in Phillipsburgh, Beaver county, Pa., situated near the Ferry Landing.—The Lot is 60 by 120 feet, on which is erected a very comfortable Dwelling House, with 6 rooms, a frame stable and other out-houses. The garden is filled with some choice fruit trees, flowers, shrubbery, &c., and worth at present $1,600, but will be sold as a bargain if applied immediately to E. SIEGLE,
42 Fifth street, Pittsburg, or
JOHN LINNENBRINK,
fe27'67. Rochester, Beaver county, Pa.

GRAND OPENING

AT

GEALY'S

NEW MILLINERY.

TRIMMING

AND SHOE EMPORIUM,

WATER STREET, 2 DOORS BELOW STILES & SHALLENBERGER'S, BRIDGEWATER.

HAVE REMOVED to the room formerly occupied by J. M. Dickey, on Water St., Bridgewater, I OFFER MY ENTIRE STOCK AT PRICES THAT WILL ASTONISH ALL.

Millinery

Of every description, cheaper than the cheapest. Velvet and Silk Bonnets, Ribbons, Flowers, Plumes, Ornaments, &c.

A JOB LOT of Ladies and Misses Hats.—Very Cheap. Call and see them.

Trimmings,

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MEN AND BOYS' HATS AND CAPS, MENS' KNIT COATS.

LADIES' CLOTHS, ALL COLORS, Very cheap.

Cotton Batting, Country Flannels, Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, Gents' and Ladies' Paper Collars,

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License Notice.

LIST of Applicants for License at March Term, 1867.

HOTELS, &c.

Ellen Rufer.....Phillipsburg boro.
Rebecca Alliband.....Darlington "
C. H. Kearcher.....Phillipsburg "
Francis Rioux.....New Brighton "
W. P. Alcorn.....Bridgewater "
W. Glass.....Beaver Falls City.
Henry Ankeney.....Rochester boro
John Greabing.....Big Beaver twp

EATING HOUSES, &c.

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J. B. Clark.....Beaver "
John H. Snood.....Freedom "
Henry Kinsey.....Georgetown "
Ivan Powell.....New Brighton twp
William Rogers.....Industry "
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Removal.

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NO 51 FIFTH STREET,

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Built by them expressly for the accommodation of their large and increasing business. Having very superior facilities for business, they will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of all goods pertaining to the CARPET BUSINESS, which they offer at WHOLESALE or RETAIL to the trade and public at lowest market rates.

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In Brussels, Three, Ingrain, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 8 Yards Wide.

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Ever brought to the county, consisting of

Traveling Sticks, Ladies' Satchels, Fancy Goods, Children's Carriages, Books, Stationary, Carpeting, Oil Cloths, Window Blinds, Rings, Brushes, &c.,

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

WHEREAS letters testamentary on the estate of Sarah B. Connelly, late of Hanover twp., Beaver co., dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN A. GIBB, Executor,
mar6'66.—6t. Hanover tp.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

WHEREAS letters of administration on the estate of Thos. M. McCoan, late of New Brighton, Beaver county, Penna., deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement without delay.

S. B. McCORD, Administratrix,
feb6'67. New Brighton.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Abraham Hance, late of Franklin township, Beaver co., dec'd, having been issued to the undersigned, all persons indebted are required to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them, properly authenticated for settlement.

HUGH MARSHALL, North Sewickly tp.,
feb13'67. Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Michael Rine, late of Economy township, Beaver co., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them to the subscriber properly authenticated for settlement.

LETITIE RINE, Adm'rx.
mar13'67. Economy tp.

J. R. HARRAH,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

COLLECTIONS and other business will receive prompt attention. Also legally authorized agent for the collection of back pay, pensions, bounty and all soldiers' claims.

☞ Office, District Attorney's office, Court House, Beaver, Pa. [aug22, '66—1y.

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Music.

THE undersigned would respectfully inform the public that after the 1st of January, 1867, he will be prepared to give private lessons in Music to all who may favor him with their patronage. Lessons given at the residences of pupils, or at the room of the subscriber. Charges moderate.

EDWARD MILLER.

All orders left at Mr. Rigor's Drug store will receive prompt attention. nov21'66.

SAWMIL AND BOAT YARD!

FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers for sale his Saw Mill and Boat Yard, in Industry, Beaver county, Pa. The mill is in good running order, and the Boat Yard is sufficiently large for the building of all classes of boats. If not sold by the 1st of April, 1867, the property will be for rent.

WILLIAM CAIRNS.
nov21'66.

Soap! Soap!! Soap!!!

LEGAL TENDER SOAP.

BUY your soap of OLIVER & MATHEWS, manufacturers, you will find it the best soap in the market; try it. Wastegate, Rochester, Pa., opposite the steamboat landing.
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

WHEREAS letters testamentary on the estate of James W. Kerr, late of Raccoon tp., Beaver county, Pa., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JAMES M. KERR, Executors.
P. M. KERR.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

WHEREAS letters testamentary on the estate of John Kerr, late of Economy twp., Beaver county, dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JAMES NEELY, Executor.
mar7'67.—6t.

FLOUR.

A CHOICE LOT of Extra Family Flour just received and for sale by the bbl. or sack, at

A. S. HARVEY'S, Bridgewater.

Register's Notice.

ALL persons interested in the following Administration and Guardian accounts, which have been passed and filed in the Register's office of Beaver county, Pa., will take notice that the same will be presented to the Orphans' Court, to be held at Beaver, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th of March, A. D. 1867, for confirmation and allowance:

First and final account of John P. Brunton and Hugh Moore, executors of the last will of John Brunton, dec'd.

First account of James Morrison, executor of the last will of Joanna Dungan, dec'd.

The account of John W. Pierce, administrator of the estate of Isaac Pierce, dec'd.

Final account of Wm. Kennedy, guardian of Eliza Baxter, minor son of Sam'l Baxter, dec'd.

Partial account of F. W. Williams and R. Mehard, Adm'rs of the estate of Samuel Kelly, dec'd.

The real estate account of F. W. Williams and R. Mehard, Administrators of the estate of Samuel Kelly, dec'd.

First and final account of Andrew Stratton, Administrator of the estate of Joel B. Gould, dec'd.

First and final account of Gilbert Trumpeter, Adm'r of the estate of Martin Metscham, dec'd.

The account of Samuel Allison, Guardian of Georgiana Allison, minor daughter of Geo. W. Allison, dec'd.

Final account of Abraham Hunter, Guardian of Clark Hunter, minor son of Rebecca Hunter, dec'd.

First and final account of John Slater, Executor of the last will of Robert Nevin, dec'd.

First and final account of R. Temple, Adm'r of the estate of John Londis, dec'd.

First and final account of Isaac Morgan, Executor of the last will of Jacob Coreman, dec'd.

First and final account of John May, Administrator of the estate of John H. May, dec'd.

Final account of Thos. M'Clure, Executor of the last will of John Clark, dec'd.

First and final account of A. Ralston, Administrator of the estate of Wm. A. Reed, dec'd.

Guardian account of John D. Glenn, Guardian of Matilda T. Stewart, minor daughter of C. M. Stewart, dec'd.

First and final account of J. A. Abdell, Administrator cumtestamento annexo of D. C. Wakefield, dec'd.

First and final account of Henry Gross and George H. Krede, Executors of the last will of Christian Zeifle, dec'd.

The accounts (real and personal) of John Slentz, Administrator of the estate of Andrew Glass, dec'd.

First and final account of James and John Allison, Executors of the estate of James Allison, dec'd,

Account of J. L. Fyle, Guardian of Mary Sheiver, minor daughter of John Sheiver dec'd.

Accounts of Robert Cooper, Guardian of the minor children of Abraham Bruce, dec'd.

Real estate account of David Anderon, Administrator cumtestamento annexo of the estate of Alexander Gibb, dec'd.

First and final account of John Slentz and Samuel Anderson, Executors of the last will of Bernard Anderson, dec'd.

First and final account of Jos. Ledlie, Trustee in the estate of Mary Ewing, dec'd.

Partial account of R. Graham, Executor of the last will of Francis Fair, dec'd.

Final account of Sam. B. Wilson, Guardian of David N. Niblo, minor son of Alexander Niblo, dec'd.

First and final account of Dr. M. Lawrence and John Craig, Executors of the last will and testament of John Craig, dec'd.

First and final account of J. Bentel, Administrator of the estate of Bernard Toner, dec'd.

Account of Jos. C. Wilson, Administrator of the estate of William B. M'Gaffick, dec'd.

Account of Jennet Young, Administratrix of Wm. Young, dec'd, who was the Administrator of Hugh Young, dec'd.

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THE Spring term of the Hookstown Select School will open March 26, 1867. The school will be under the charge of competent teachers, who will spare no labor to make it a first class institution. All branches usually taught in such schools will receive attention, and every facility will be offered the Student for obtaining a knowledge of Mathematics, the Sciences and Classics.

Boarding and rooms will be furnished for Students in the town at most reasonable rates. Rooms for self-boarding can be obtained if desired.

Rates of tuition for term of fourteen weeks: Classics with higher Mathematics, $10 00; higher Mathematics and Sciences, $8 00; Primary branches, $6 00.

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M. M. PATTERSON, Ass't.

feb13'67—3t.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the partnership lately existing between PERRY BROWN and URIAH PATTERSON, of Rochester, Pa., under the firm of BROWN & PATTERSON, was dissolved on the Nineteenth day of February, A. D. 1867, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership, are to be received by PERRY BROWN, and all demands presented to him for payment, he being authorized to settle the same.

PERRY BROWN.
URIAH PATTERSON.

The business to be continued as heretofore, PERRY BROWN & SON.

Rochester Pa. Feb. 19, '67.

FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale his house and lot in Beaver. The lot is 120 feet on Third street, and 300 feet back to an alley.—There is abundance of good fruit on the lot.—The house is a substantial brick building with eight rooms and good cellar, and is in the west end of town.

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BEAVER PA.

J. B. CLARK, *Proprietor.*

GOOD STABLING attached to this House. April 4, 1866.—1y.

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FLANNELS, Plain and Barred,
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BLACK SILK, TICKING,
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CHECKS, JEANS,
TWEEDS, SATINETS,
CASSIMERE, BROADCLOTH,
CLOAKING,

Balmoral and Hoop Skirts,

NOTIONS,

HOSIERY, GLOVES, &c.

HATS AND CAPS,

Men's and Boys'—a large stock of the latest styles.

BOOTS & SHOES.

Men's, Women's and childrens Gum Shoes, Carpet Shoes, &c.. &c.

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A large and well assorted stock, consisting of

CUTLERY,

Carpenters' Tools, of all Kinds,

BUILDING HARDWARE, BUTTS,
STRAP HINGES, SCREWS,
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LOCKS, NAILS, &c.

Window Glass,

Of all sizes, single and double strength.

SPECIAL ATTENTION

Paid to filling orders of Carpenters, Contractors and Builders for

HARDWARE,
GLASS AND NAILS,
LINSEED OIL,
BENZINE,
COAL'S PATENT DYER,
WHITE LEAD,
PUTTY,
PAINTS OF ALL COLORS,
GROUND, DRY AND IN OIL.

Painters will do well to examine our Stock and Prices before purchasing elsewhere.

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A fresh and full supply constantly on hand at very lowest prices.

Choice Brands of

FLOUR,

IN BARRELS AND SACKS.

CARBON OIL,
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QUEENSWARE,
STONE WARE, &c., &c.

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All kinds of grain and country produce taken in exchange for goods.

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In Bright Colors, 1¼, 2¼, 2, 3¼, 3½, and 3¾ Yards Wide.

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SADDLERY HARDWARE,

BENT FELLOWS & SHAFTS,

LOCKS, BOLTS & HINGES,

PICKS, MATTOCKS & HOES,
COUNTER & PLATFORM SCALES,
TABLE & POCKET CUTLERY,
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TIRE & CARRIAGE BOLTS & NUTS,

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ALSO, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, AND PUTTY.

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Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods

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In all the latest styles and at shortest notice.

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DRUGS,
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Paints, Oils,
AND
DYE STUFFS:
TOILET ARTICLES, SOAPS,
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PATENT MEDICINES

in great variety, all of the best quality, and sold cheaper than can be bought at any other Drug Store in the county.

Duponco's Female Pills 75 cents per box; Cheeseman's, $1: Clark's, $1.

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Lamps and Lamp Trimmings, Lanterns, Stationery, Window Glass and Putty.

ever offered outside of the city, at Moore's Drug Store, and sold cheaper than can be bought anywhere else. Let those who doubt this call and see, and they will doubt no more

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GAITERS, SLIPPERS and OVERSHOES,

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We would particularly call attention to our stock of

Mens' heavy kip, tap and double sole steel heeled Boots. French Calf, double sole and double upper sewed scotch bottom Boots.

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Ladies' French kid and Morocco polish Boots, Balmorals and Gaiters of the latest styles.

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All Goods Warranted.

WILSON & STEWART,
In the Diamond,
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DIAMONDS

AND FINE JEWELY,

SILVER SPOONS AND FORKS,

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Store: Cor. Broadway & Apple sts,
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS testamentary on the estate of PETER SMALL, late of Brighton township, Beaver county, Pa., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

ANDREW WATTERSON, Executor,
feb18'67. Brighton township.

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Can be found a full assortment of

PURE DRUGS,

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FINE LIQUORS;

Also, a full Assortment of

WINDOW GLASS,

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PURE AND SECOND QUALITY

WHITE LEAD:

Also, FINE TOILET SOAPS,

ALL VARIETIES BRUSHES,

THE BEST PERFUMERY

FANCY & TOILET ARTICLES,

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All kinds of Patent Medicines always on hand.

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My entire stock has been purchased for CASH and is offered at the very LOWEST PRICES.

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Curtain Goods, Lace Curtains, Cornices, Mouldings, Curtain Trimmings, Window Shades, Bedding, Pillows and Bolsters, Comforts, Blankets, Sheets and Slips, Cots, Springs and Mattresses of all kinds.

Steamboats and Hotels furnished on short notice.

ALSO DEALERS IN

Wall Papers,
DECORATIONS, ETC.

dec19:4mo

BRIDGEWATER

Marble Works.

D. WOODRUFF,

MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN

Italian and American Marble.

MONUMENTS, HEAD STONES, &c., made to order.

Please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere.

Shop opposite Dr. Smith's Drug Store, Bridge street, Bridgewater.

July 25, '66:1y D. WOODRUFF.

Dunseath & Co.,

DEALERS IN

Fine Watches,
CLOCKS, JEWELRY,
SILVER-WARE,
FANCY GOODS,
MUSICAL BOXES, &c.

56 FIFTH STREET,

Pittsburg, Pa.

☞ Agents for the American Watch Company's Watches [jy18'66:1y

PITTSBURG

NATIONAL PLOW CO.,

ROCHESTER, PA.,

ARE MANUFACTURING all the Varieties of

Steel and Cast Iron Plows

and would call the attention of the Farmers of Beaver county, wishing to purchase Plows or Plow Points, to the Superior Finish and Quality of our Work

☞ ALL WORK WARRANTED ☜

The Points and Landslides fit the corresponding numbers of Pittsburg plows.

☞ Old plow castings bought. [apr18:1y

FLOUR.

A CHOICE LOT of Extra Family Flour just received and for sale by the bbl. or sack, at

A. S. HARVEY'S, Bridgewater.

PLEASE STOP!

And examine our large Stock of Winter Goods, to be closed out astonishing CHEAP.

TO READ THIS

Will be of great advantage to the people of Beaver county in purchasing GOOD GOODS at a GREAT REDUCTION.

AND CONSIDER

That we have bought our stock since the late decline; the same consisting of

French Merinos,	Prints,
Coburgs,	Flannels,
Paris Plaids,	Tickings,
Roplins,	Table Linen,
Poplin Stripes,	Muslins,
Empress Cloth,	Shawls,
All Wool Delaines,	Blankets,
Delaines,	Gloves,
Ginghams,	Hoods & Scarfs,

Together with an endless variety of Foreign and Domestic Goods, all of which will positively be sold *regardless to cost, in order to close out our whole Stock.* In giving us a call, you will find us always in readiness to show our goods with pleasure, and then leave it to

YOUR OWN

Judgment. Finally, we would say that we guarantee full satisfaction regarding the quality of Goods, and particularly the extremely low prices of the same, both of these facts will be to your own

INTEREST.

We shall be happy to attend to all wishing to favor us with their patronage.

Very respectfully,

NELSON & ROESSLER,

In the Diamond, Rochester, Pa.

NEW DRY GOODS STORE.

NO. 87

Market St.,

(West Side, near Market House,)

PITTSBURGH, PA.

J. M. BURCHFIELD & CO., having opened an entire new Stock of Goods, bought for *CASH*, are able to offer inducements that cannot be found in an old stock.

CALICOES for 12½ *cts. and upward.*
BLEACHED MUSLIN, 12½ *cts. and upward.*
TABLE LINENS, 50 *cts. and upward.*
CLEAN BLANKETS, $5,00.
IRISH LINENS, CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, FLANNELS, MERINOS, ALPACAS, &c.

The stock will be found complete—*Goods Wholesale at Eastern Prices.* [feb13—3m.

NEW GROCERY STORE!

THE undersigned takes pleasure in informing the people of Beaver and vicinity, that he has opened a

GROCERY STORE

in the building in which his Feed Store is now kept, on THIRD STREET, BEAVER, PA., where will be found an excellent assortment of

COFFEES, TEAS, SUGARS, SYRUPS, MOLASSES, SORGHUM, RICE, PEPPERS, SPICES, SOAPS, CANDIES, RAISINS, ENGLISH CURRANTS, FIGS, &c.

Bedcords, Washtubs, Keelers, Tinware, and in fact every article usually kept in a well regulated Grocery Store.

In connection with his Grocery, he still continues to keep his Flour and Feed Store, where the best articles in this line are constantly kept, and offered cheap for Cash or Produce.

jan9'67:1y SIMON SNITGER.

A. S. Harvey,

DEALER IN

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

Has received a fresh supply of

Cranberries,	Hominy
Canned Peaches,	Turkey Prunes,
" Tomatoes,	Layer Raisins,
" Green Corn,	Seedless Raisins,
" Plums,	English Currants,
Dried Corn,	Goshen Cheese,
" Peaches,	Sweet Potatoes,
Pickles,	No. 1 Mackerel.

Also, a prime assortment of Teas, Sugar, and Coffee.

☞ Terms, strictly CASH.

A. S. HARVEY,
nov28 Bridge street, Bridgewater.

ANDREW WRAY,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

PRACTICING IN THE SEVERAL COURTS OF BEAVER COUNTY, will promptly attend to all kinds of legal business in this or counties adjoining.

Collections will be expeditiously made in all amounts upon all sorts of claims, either in this county and State or in more distant localities.

In Conveyancing, immediate attention will be given to the drawing of bonds, deeds, leases, articles of agreement, to the furnishing of abstracts of title, and to the careful preparation of all sorts of legal instruments.

Mortgages, judgments and other securities in all sums bought or sold.

☞ Office in building of Jos. C. Wilson, Esq., nearly opposite Moore's Drug Store, Third Street, Beaver, Pa. [aug 16,'66

PROPOSALS

Pennsylvania Agricultural Land Scrip

FOR SALE.

THE Board of Commissioners now offer for sale 520,000 acres of Agricultural College Land Scrip, being the balance of the Scrip granted to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the endowment of Agricultural Colleges in this State.

Proposals for the purchase of this Land Scrip, addressed to "The Board of Commissioners of Agricultural Land Scrip," will be received at the Surveyor General's office, at Harrisburg, until 12 o'clock, M., on Wednesday, April 10, 1867.

This land may be located in any State or Territory, by the holders of the Scrip, upon any of the unappropriated lands (except mineral lands) of the United States, which may be subject to sale at private entry. Each piece of scrip represents a quarter section of one hundred and sixty acres, is issued in blank, and will be transferable, without endorsement or formal assignment. The blank need not be filled until the scrip is presented for location and entry, when the party holding it can fill the blank and enter the land in his own name. Bids must be made as per acre, and no bids will be received for less than one quarter section.

The Scrip will be issued immediately on the payment of the money to the Surveyor General. On all bids for a less quantity than 40,000 acres, one-third of the purchase money must be paid within ten days, and the remaining two-thirds within thirty days after notification of the acceptance of the bid or bids by the Board of Commissioners.

JACOB M. CAMPBELL,
mar6,'67—6t. Surveyor General
For the Board of Commissioners.

C. U. METER. THOS. N. SMITH.

C. U. MEYER & Co.,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL

MANUFACTURERS OF

TIN and SHEET-IRON WARE,

AND DEALERS IN

JAPANNED, PLANISHED & PRESSED WARE,

House Furnishing Articles Generally.

Also, a general assortment of

Hardware,

CONSISTING OF

CARPENTERS, SADDLERS and SHOEMAKERS' TOOLS,

Table & Pocket CUTLERY,

SCREWS, BUTTS, LOCKS,

STRAP HINGES, &c.

THE BEST CORN SHELLERS IN USE. IRON, NAILS, GLASS, &c., &c.

Tin Roofing, Spouting and Jobbing done to order.

No 220 BROADWAY,

jan16'67—3m. *NEW BRIGHTON.*

LOOK HERE!

NO NECESSITY FOR GOING OUTSIDE OF BEAVER TO GET GOOD GROCERIES!

THE undersigned having purchased the Grocery Store of Anderson & Son, formerly occupied by Joseph C. Wilson, takes pleasure in informing the Public that he is about refitting the store and replenishing the stock, and in the future will keep

All Kinds of Groceries,

which he will sell at the Lowest Prices possible. None but the best articles in the market kept.

It is the desire of the undersigned to please all who may favor him with their patronage.

Dec. 26, '66:3m HENRY FEICHT.

PHILLIPSBURGH PROPERTY

FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers for sale his House and Lot, in Phillipsburgh, Beaver county, Pa., situated near the Ferry Landing—The Lot is 60 by 120 feet, on which is erected a very comfortable Dwelling House, with 6 rooms, a frame stable and other out-houses. The garden is filled with some choice fruit trees, flowers, shrubbery, &c., and worth at present $1,500, but will be sold at a bargain if applied immediately to

RADEBUSH,
42 Fifth street, Pittsburgh, or
JOHN LINNENBRINK,
fe27'67. Rochester, Beaver county, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of IRA BLANCHARD, late of Rochester borough, Beaver county, dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent will make known the same without delay, to

CHAS. B. HURST, Rochester, Pa.,
SCUDDER H. DARRAGH, Sharon, Pa.,
jan20'67.—6t. Administrators.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

WHEREAS letters testamentary on the estate of JAMES W. KERR, late of Raccoon tp., Beaver county, Pa., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JAMES M. KERR, } Executors.
P. M. KERR, }

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

WHEREAS letters testamentary on the estate of JOHN NEELY, late of Economy twp., Beaver county, dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JAMES NEELY, Executor.
mar7'67.—6t Economy tp.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS testamentary on the estate of SARAH ANN ALEXANDER, of Pulaski tp., Beaver co. dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the estate will present them to the subscriber properly authenticated for settlement.

THOS HAYS, Executor,
feb27,'67—6t. Pulaski tp.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

WHEREAS letters testamentary on the estate of JOHN MAY, late of Beaver boro., Beaver county, Pa., dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

HENRY HICE, Executor,
mar5'67.—6t Beaver.